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In the Claims:

1. (Original) A method of operating a computing device, the method comprising allocating a

handle to a process for enabling the process to use a resource allocated to another process, arranging

the handle such that the process is not able to identify the resource, and inhibiting further access by

the process to the resource after the use of the resource by the process arising from the allocation of

the handle has been terminated.

2. (Original) A method according to claim 1 wherein the handle is arranged to enable a plurality

of resources allocated to the said another process to be used by the process.

3. (Currently Amended) A method according to claim 1 or 2 wherein the handle is arranged to

enable a plurality of processes other than the said another process to use the resource allocated to the

said another process.

4. (Currently Amended) A method according to claim 2 wherein the handle is arranged to enable

a plurality of processes other than the said another process to use the resource allocated to the said

another process. any one of the preceding claims wherein the resource is selected to comprise at least

one of computing device memory, a semaphore, a mutex, a chunk, a message queue, a thread, a file,

or a device channel.

5. (Currently Amended) A method according to <u>claim 1 elaim 4</u> wherein, when the resource <u>is</u>

selected to comprise comprises a file, the file comprises at least one of computing device memory, a

semaphore, a mutex, a chunk, a message queue, a thread, a file, or a device channel.of a trusted font

file or a message attachment file for the said another process.

6. (Currently Amended) A method according to elaim 4 or 5 claim 5 wherein, when the

resource comprises a file, the file comprises at least one of a trusted font file or a message

attachment file for the said another process. the resource is located in a data cage within the

said another process.

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7. (Currently Amended) A method according to <u>claim 5</u> any one of the preceding claims

wherein the resource is located in a data cage within the said another process process is

selected to comprise a file server.

8. (Currently Amended) A method according to elaim 7 claim 1 wherein the process is

selected to comprise a file server is arranged to indicate to a kernel of the operating

system for the computing device that it is able to support the use of the resource prior to the

allocation of the handle to the server.

9. (Currently Amended) A method according to elaim 7 or 8 claim 8 wherein the file

server is arranged to indicate to a kernel of the operating system for the computing device

that it is able to support the use of the resource prior to the allocation of the handle to the

server said other process is arranged to terminate a communication session with the server

upon allocation of the file handle to the server.

10. (Currently Amended) A method according to elaim 1 claim 8 wherein the said other

process is arranged to terminate a communication session with the server upon allocation of

the file handle to the server. another process comprises a parent process, the process

comprises a child process, and the resource comprises a kernel resource for an operating

system for the computing device.

11. (Currently Amended) A method according to claim 1 any one of the preceding claims

wherein the said another process comprises a patent process, the process comprises a child

process, and the resource comprises a kernel resource for an operating system for the

computing device handle is provided as an anonymous instantiation of a server required to

access the resource.

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- 12. (Currently Amended) A method according to claim 1 wherein the handle is provided as an anonymous instantiation of a server required to access the resource.computing device arranged to operate in accordance with a method as claimed in any one of claims 1 to 11.
- 13. (Currently Amended) A computing device <u>arranged to operate in accordance with a method as claimed in claim 12.according to claim 12 comprising a wireless communication device.</u>
- 14. (Currently Amended) A computing device according to claim 13 comprising a wireless communication device. Computer software for causing a computing device according to claim 12 or 13 to operate in accordance with a method as claimed in any one of claims 1 to 11.
- 15. (New) Computer software for causing a computing device to operate in accordance with a method as claimed in claim 1.